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Docket No. 3802-4032

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Edward Balassanian, et al.

Group Art Unit: 2155

Serial No.: 09/688,581

Examiner: B. Bruckart

Filed: October 16, 2000

For: FEATURE MANAGER SYSTEM FOR FACILITATING COMMUNICATION AND  
SHARE FUNCTIONALITY AMONG COMPONENTS

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for three months.
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested  
☒ is filed herewith.  
☐ has been filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

3. ☒ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.  
☐ Statement has already been filed

- | 4.                                     | <u>Total Months<br/>Requested</u>  | <u>Fee for Other<br/>than Small Entity</u> | <u>Fee for<br/>Small Entity</u> |
|--|--|--|---------------------------------|
| a. <input type="checkbox"/>            | one month  | \$120.00                                   | \$60.00                         |
| b. <input type="checkbox"/>            | two months   | \$450.00                                   | \$225.00                        |
| c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | three months   | \$1,020.00                                 | \$510.00                        |
| d. <input type="checkbox"/>            | four months  | \$1,590.00                                 | \$795.00                        |
| e. <input type="checkbox"/>            | five months  | \$2,160.00                                 | \$1,080.00                      |
| f. <input type="checkbox"/>            | An extension for _____ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$_____), minus the fee previously paid (\$_____), equals \$_____ (total fee due). |  |                                 |

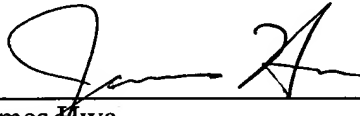
5. ☒ Check in the amount of \$510.00 to cover the extension is attached.

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6. ☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_, Order No. \_\_\_\_\_. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4503, Order No. 3802-4032. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: 9/2/05

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